the World

GIGANTIC POST OFFICE HOLD-UP AVERTED BY CLEVER WORK OF SINGLE INSPECTOR

DELEGATES WILL BE GIVEN AUTO RIDE ABOUT THE CITY TODAY

Inspector Doran Says Their Capture Will Clear Up \$1,477,000 Liberty Bond Theft.

"BEARDED GENT" PROVES DEADLY FOR SCHEMERS

Much of Data on "Gang's" Earller Operations Recorded by Telephonic Device.

(By The Associated Press) post office hold-up surpassing in spectacularity and daring any of the relion dollar-and-up class, would have six other students were injured. been perpetuated at the City Hall postoffice tomorrow, but for the keen work of a postoffice inspector who grew a plotters and uncovered their scheme.

public the details of the arrest of registered mail theft of July 18, when a fire blew through the floor. \$1,477,000 in Liberty bonds bound for Washington were stolen from the fore undisclosed theft of \$40,000 in se- pressor. According to the college of shattered. curties and might go far toward clearing up the \$2,000,000 mail truck holdup in lower Broadway last October.

Plans Laid for "Clean Sweep." Plans had been laid-and were to have been carried out in broad daylight-for the hold-up and robbery of the entire registered mail section of the City Hall station, through which milllons in securities flow daily from the Wall street financial zone, Inspector Doran said. Orders had been issued

to shoot any amploye who realsted. The plotters had visited the City Hall station several times, made a careful survey of the "lay out" and planned their raid in great detail. Indeed, Inspector Doran said, they had inge of the denomination into all parts gone to the station several weeks ago, of states lying between the Rocky ready to pull the hold-up, but had been Mountains and the Pacific ocean was deterred by the accidental presence of ordered by the general conference of several inspectors, which had led them the Methodist Episcopal church. South to fear their plot had been discovered, here late today. It was the imminence of the new date The campaign will be financed in set for the hold-up, that sent police and part during the quadrennium by funds postoffice inspectors on a round-up derived from sixty percent of the campaign last night.

Agente Posed As Bandite, covered the plot with his bad man be employed to carry on the work. heard and his plausible manner, was . Especial attention also will be given withheld.

it was said, who have been working Texas. their way for weeks into the confiboastful fellow mail bandits.

ceeded in getting himself "counted in" Francisco. on the proposed City Hall station hold- Prolonged debate took place over the up, and talked it over in detail with proposal to appropriate a portion of the the others in his supposed "den" which centennary fund surplus for the purhe had wired with telephonic devices. pose but the article carried after mem-The seven captives taken last night bers of the committee which presentwere confronted with transcripts of ed the plan declared statements made the telephonic record early today in to them showed there is a wide field Battered Down Doors of Jail and the presence of the bearded inspector, for church extension in the western and some of them are alleged to have states and that the money could not

Much data on their earlier operations already had been gathered and afternoon sessions today at which all recorded by the telephonic device- large amount of routine business was Members of a mob here tonight, batat boasting fests set in motion by the transacted and then held another ses- tering down the jail door with an iron thrilling stories of mail banditry reel. sion tonight. ed off by the "bearded gent" as his Important changes in the assign- jail, Ark, a negro, Hullen Owens, who robber friends called him.

taken in their new found "pal" that church, South, and numerous shiftings him at the end of a rope until he was Inspector Doran said today he could in territory embraced in the Episcopal dead and afterwards burned the body recount almost every step taken in the districts were announced tonight by in the downtown section. July 18 liberty bond theft.

EMPHATICALLY DENIES RECENT SENATE CHARGES

(By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 19.- Emphatic denial of charges recently in the sen- all but one, J. E. Dickey, of Griffin, ate in connection with a discussion of Ga., will be sent to the foreign mission alleged war fraud cases against Thom- ary fields. as B. Felder, former Georgia attorney was contained in a letter from Mr. will be in charge of a rearranged dis-Felder which was submitted to the trict which contains the conferences senate late today by Senator Wads- of Virginia, Louisiana and Baltimore. worth, republican, New York. The latter, Mr. Wadsworth, said, "in a Va., is shifted from the Kentucky-Illitrue sense is a reply to the charges" nois district to the North and South and he asked' therefore, that it be Carolina district. printed in the Congressional Record.

ONE COMPANY WITHDRAWS

(By The Associated Press) town Sheet and Tube company today changed from this Oklahoma-Arkan withdrew from the proposed merger of sas district to the Tennessee district: independent steel companies, leaving Bishop U. V. W. Darlington, of Hunt- were leaving or preparing to depart, only five of the original seven com- ington, W. Va., from the Carolina dis- seemingly was that, although the conpanies in the combine. The Lakawanna Steel company withdrew last Bishop William Ainsmith of Macon, far as Genea is concerned, its achieve- pany. The suit, a friendly one, was week upon completion of negotiations Ga, goes from the Texas district to ments would live and contribute much joined in by all the large creditors. for the purchase by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation.

MEN HARVARD RESEARCH ENGINEER AND CARPENTER ARE KILLED BY OXYGEN TANK EXPLOSION

Something Goes Wrong With Compressor While Dunbar Was Engaged in Liquifying Oxygen Under Pressure-Students Who Assisting Him Were Also Injured by the Explosion.

rton Kinsey Dunbar, of Cambridge, pressor fellow for research in cryogenic en-NEW YORK, May 19 .- A gigantic a tank of liquid oxygene in the base- gen tank. Dunbar had just oiled a ment of the Jefferson Physical Laborcent registered mail thefts of the mil- atory at Harvard. An assistant and perimenter, who was close to the tank

bad man's beard, consorted with the who was working in an adjoining room. was killed by the shock of the explos-This was the statement today at ion. Two of the injured students were postoffice, Inspector Doran in making graduates assisting Dunbar in reseven men, six of them present or past search work. The others, freshmen, postoffice employees. He asserted were taking a lecture in a class room and there was a rush of gas and the day and night sessions and it was that their capture would clear up the above and were hurt when the rush of smoke.

Dunbar was engaged in liquifying

(By The Associated Press) | fice, the explosion was caused b CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 19.-Ath- something going wrong with the com-

Students who had been assisting gineering at Harvard, and William Dunbar in his experiment, advanced Connell, of Cambridge, a carpenter, the theory that the accident was due were killed today by the explosion of to a leakage of oil into the liquid oxyvalve at the top of the tank when the explosion came, it was said. The excaught the full force of the explosion ment in liquifying oxygen, Connell, were thrown to the floor by the blast of air and gas, but escaped fatal in-

> On the floor above, an instructor was conducting a course in physics. According to him, there was a sharp sound like the report of a gun and then the floor of the class room rose

Four members of the class suffered injuries to feet and ankles. Windows on two floors of the building and in

METHODIST CONFERENCE PLANS EXTENSIVE WESTERN CAMPAIGN

signment of Members of the College of Bishops Made.

(By The Associated Press) HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 19 .- An intensive campaign to carry the teach-

surplus of the missionary centennary funds and for the first time in the The name of the inspector who un- church's history paid evangelists will

A commission which will handle the

The bearded man, it was said, suc- church's publishing house in San

be used to better advantage.

The conference held morning and

the college which is meeting in connection with the general conference

of the denomination here. With the exception of Bishop Horace M. Dubose of Berkeley, Calif., all present members of the college are given new assignments while of the five men elected bishops at this conference

Bishop Warren A. Candler of Atlanta gathered. Bishop Collins Denny of Richmond

Bishop William B. Murray, of Memphis, whose district the last four years included the Missouri conferences and GENOA ACHIEVEMENTS FROM PROPOSED MERGER Denver, Colo., goes to the Alabama-North Georgia district.

Other assignments include: Bishop NEW YORK, May 19 .- The Youngs - Edward D. Mouson, of Tulsa, Okla.

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Trial of Three Men Which Has Taken Up Practically Entire Week Will Close Today.

(By The Associated Press) er of J. C. Arnette, will go to a Richland county jury tomorrow.

neys opened. Four arguments were cided upon Mercer. made this afternoon and tomorrow will bring the final three arguments and the judge's charge, after which the church extension work in parts of the case will be given to the jury. The He was one of the sixteen inspectors Oklahomo, West Virginia, Illinois and Jury is composed of five farmers, two merchants, one railroad man, one mill operative and one salesman. No time dence of the accused men-posing as campaign was directed to consider the limit has been placed on the arguestablishment of a branch of the ments either of the defense attorneys of the prosecuting officers.

TEXAS MOB BURNS

Took Negro Who Had Shot and Killed White Man.

(By The Associated Press) TEXARKANA, Texas, May 19 .beam, took from the Miller county ment of members of the College of late today shot and fatally wounded

Choate died on an operating table in a local hospital soon after the shoot-ing of Idaho, chairman of the Reing. Owens, who was shot in the mouth by L. J. Lummus, chief of police, managed to escape to the woods in a stolen automobile. He abandoned the car about a mile from town and attempted to drown himself in a pool, according to Sheriff John Strange, who dragged him from the pool and brought him back here. The mob soon

Thousands of persons surrounded the jail during the attack but only a from the cradle to the grave" comparatively small number actually participated in the lynching. Judge H. M. Barney made an ineffectual plea that the law be permitted to take its

WILL BE BIG FACTOR

ourse.

(By The Associated Press)

GENOA, May 19.-The dominant hought in Genoa tonight as the delegations to the economic conference trict to the Kentucky-Illinois district; ference was a thing of the past, as the capital stock of the Parsons comto the pacification and reconstruction

Proposition Is Referred to Committees for Recommendations at Next Annual Convention.

WOULD HAVE MERCER

Conference of Leaders Will Be Held at Nashville in Interest of 75,000,000 Campaign.

(By The Associated Press) JACKSONVILLE, May 19 .- Proposals for establishing a great Baptist building. university for the southeast and foundeing an additional theological semincommittees who will make recommen-

dations to the next annual convention. Home missions and Sunday school tist leaders will meet in Nashville for enlarging Baptist activities.

The women's missionary union, auxilary to the convention, also discussed the fund and its members pledged themselves to continue their aid. The union held its last business meeting of this year and re-elected Mrs. W. C. other officers, as well as hearing committee reports.

The question of a new theological seminary and a Baptist university was raised in a proposal made by trustees tution, with the approval of the Baptist state convention of Georgia, that Mercer be made the nucleus for both institutions. If this were done, the trustees said, they would transfer all COLUMBIA, S. C., Ma 19 .- The case of Mercer's assets to the convetion of Frank M. Jeffords, Ira Harrison and when the latter completed its \$75, Glenn Treece, charged with the murd- 000,000 fund on condition that the convention raise \$2,500,000. The Georgia Baptists promised to subscribe \$2,500,-The taking of testimony, begun 000 additional for the project. The Tuesday morning, was concluded this Macon Chamber of Commerce offered afternoon and arguments of attor- to raise \$500,000 if the convention de-

EDITORIALS USED

Alabama Senator Says Republicans "Tax Everything From the Cradle to the Grave."

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Newspap- MEMBERS COTTON (By The Associated Press) er editorials attacking the administration tariff bill caused another flare-up today in the senate during the consideration of that measure. The editorials were read by Senator Simmons of North Carolina, a Democratic lea! er, in the course of an address in which he attacked the bill generally and asserted that there was a growing revolt against it over the country and

even among Republican senators. In reply, Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, in charge of charges of bucketing orders was told for those difficulties. the measure, renewed his charge that by Assistant District Attorney Wintthe newspapers attacking the bill were So completely were the mail robbers Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal R. C. Choate, Arkansas side; dragged influenced by advertisements of importers and asserted that reading of delay. He was joined in his attack ers living below the Mason and Dixon the editorials was for the purpose of on the publications by Senator Goodpublican agricultural tariff bloc, who said the New York dailies were not going to permit a tariff an products ofthey could help it.

Senator Hefflin, Democrat, Alabama, attacked the majority for approving, commerce." what he termed high duties on paints, salt and other necessities of the farming population. He concluded with the declaration that the Republicans proposed to put a tax "on everything were only pretending to be bidding or the gaps left by Russia. Russia needs

RECEIVER APPOINTED FOR LUMBER CONCERN

(By The Associated Press) PHILADELPHIA, May 19 .- A federal receiver was appointed today by grounds, contending that the charges condition. United District Judge Thompson for were vague and meaningless. Justice lands and lumber and pulp mills in tion. West Virginia, Virginia, and North Carolina. The action was taken on application of William Whitmer and Sons, Inc., which is said to own all

Liabilities were placed at \$4,000,000

and assets at \$5,000,000.

BAPTIST SIX NEW SUSPECTS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH BOMBING THAT KILLED TWO POLICEMEN

Trying to Determine Whether Boys or Terrorists Were Responsible Enjoyed Surf Bathing, Fish Dinfor Fire Which Destroyed Incomplete Apartment Building. Chief Fitzmaurice Asks for Additional Policemen.

(By The Associated Press) nection with labor bombings which pleted.

culminated in the killing of two policemen more than a week ago, police er for the American Federation of were attempting to determine whether Labor, who was taken in the general boys or terroists were responsible for round-up of labor leaders following the fire which last Tuesday night the slaying of the policemen, but was burned an incompleted apartment released, appealed to Mayor Thomp- dance at Saufley Beach brought the

Dunbar was engaged in a nexperi- and was blown to pieces. The others ary were referred by the Southern Murphy and Fred Mader, labor lead-Baptist convention here late today to ers indicted with six others in connec- pects followed questioning of Mrs. John visiting Fort Barrancas, the Naval Air Tuesday.

> new policemen to argument the pres- the other men in the car. ent force of a cut 5.000.

| Attorney Crowe, said evidence would AS NUCLEUS FOR BOTH CHICAGO, May 19 .- With six new probably be presented Monday when suspects under arrest tonight in con- the state expects to have its case com-Emmett, T. Flood, general organiz-

tion with the slayings, was filed in su- Miller, wife of the owner of the au- Station, Bayview Park and other perior court and made returnable next tomobile from which the shots that points of interest, killed the policemen, were fired. Mil-Charles Fitzmorris, chief of police, ler, according to the police, has made the delegates made the trip to Saufley work with the reports of the boards before a subcommitte of the city coun- an alleged confession, naming Charles Beach yesterday afternoon on the in charge took up the greater part of cil finance committee, asked for 1,000 Daudzaukis and "Floater" Stanley as Swan, and besides the enjoyment of

No attempt was made today to pre- questioned by the police today regard- ter's orchestra sent evidence to the grand jury which ing reports that boys had been respon-June 20,21, to launch a campaign to the state hopes will result in the in-sible for the fire, which it was at first nection with the labor warfare. State's fare.

"SKY IS BLUE" SAYS ENGLISH PREMIER IN HIS VALEDICTORY

Birmingham, president and EDISON IS INVITED Declares Europe Will Help Russia But She Must Accept

of Mercer University, a Raptist Insti- He will Talk in Favor of Government Accepting Ford's Development Proposal.

> (By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 19 .- An invitaion for Thomas A. Edison, to appear before the senate agricultural committee at an early date was forwarded today to the inventor's New Jersey home by Senator Norris, Nebraska, chairman of the committee. The request to appear in formal session followed his recommendations, made informally last night to several members ofthat body, that the government accept Henry Ford's offer for development of the government's nitrate and

> power at Muscle Shoals, Ala. Mr. Edison's interests and personal cnowledge of the project as well as his desire for their development, attracted the committee's attention when he recently visited the Shoals district with Mr. Ford.

EXCHANGE FOOLED

Attorney Wintner Charges That Real Operators Were Fifteen Brokers Who Faked Sales.

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, May 19 .- The jury try-

the exchange was composed chiefly of membership, he said, but the active

These men Wintner called a "bunch ed their fingers to show others they

selling on orders. The more orders, the more revenue fooled the southern customers to their own enrichment.

moved for dismissal of the usual world. There is real sympathy for her

here at 10 p'clock tonight for safe keeping.

sia But She Must Accept a Code of Honor in All Dealings.

valedictory before the final plenary session of the economic conference to- their cars, and others who wish to day, said the Genoa weather had been offer their cars for use this afternoon sunny and gloomy and that sometimes should be at the San Carlos promptly there had been thunderstorms, but all at 2:30 o'clock, when signs will be had ended today in a blue sky.

"That is the history of the conferand if you take a good look at the secretary of the chamber of comconference you will find we have gar- merce, phone 128. nered fine crops."

Hague, the pact for non-aggression and the reports of the finance, trans. Joe Roth, Joe Manassee, Jr., and V port and economic commissions.

"Let me say this about the conference, and the way it debated the George. "The discussions in themhas provoked wars and revolutions in wo continents, debated in conference investigation. What better justifica- mittee. tion could you have for conferences than that?"

"We have a month for reflection on discussions. I sincerely hope that crology committee: month will be utilized with a view of ing the American Cotton Exchange on discovering and suggisting a solution

"I should like to say one word in that respect upon the Russian memoner at the start of the trial today that randum. I do not know what the effect of that memorandum was in Russia. "several hundred credulous southern- but I know the effect outside Russia when he statuds face to face with was disastrous. It produced reaction death. Nothing more sure, nothing against the spirit of settlement, and more illusive or undecided the sense They paid from \$200 to \$300 each for if it were the last word to be uttered of loss, the vastness of the mystery, by the Russian government. I should which can only be solved by intui operators were a coterie of fifteen really despair of accomplishing much tions of faith, out in the uncharted brokers among them, the half dozen at The Hague. I am referring to the ocean of an incomprehensible eternindicated with their organization. eleventh of May memorandum.

"Europe and the world need the proof buccaneers operating on the sea of duce which Russia can contribute, and Russia needs to accumulated wealth in God and in immortality. We are He described the alleged method of and skill which the world can place born between heartbeats and as soon faking sales and purchases on the at its command. Russian cannot refloor, saying the brokers merely cross- cover for a generation without help,

more and more the help which the Deity perpetrates human life and fashworld can give, and is anxious to give for the brokers, he said, so that they If Russia needs help she can get it. "If Russia is to get help, Russia must not outrage the sentiments, if they like awakes to perform his misson, only When he had finished, the defense let them call them prejudices, of the to seek his couch and again enter the

"What are these projudices? I will the Parsons Pulp and Lumber company Marcus excused the jury until Mon- just name one or two, because they which owns extensive extensive timber day, and reserved decision on the mo- were all trampled upon in the memorandum on May 11. The first preju dice we have in western Europe is PARENTS IN JAIL SAFE KEEPING. that if you sell goods to a man you of Arthur C. Burch, on trial for the MACON, Ga., May 19.—Gainer At- expect to get paid for them. The sec- murder of J. Belton Kennedy, was kins and his wife, parents of Charlie ond is this: If you lend money to a given to the jury late today. Atkins, lynched in Washington county man and he promises to repay you, you A. Culberson, the, alternate furner, yesterday, and their son, "Sim" Atkins, expect he will repay you. The third was excused when the jury retired.

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ner and Dance at Pensacola's Newest Resort Yesterday.

MORE CARS NEEDED FOR THE AUTOMOBILE RIDE

Necrology Committee Submits Report Showing That Ten Members Passed Away.

son today to investigate the wholesale social pleasures of yesterday to a close While the investigation proceeded raids and arrests. Mr. Flood and oth- for the United Commercial Travelers. today a petition for writs of habeas ers, have filed suits against Chief and this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the corpus for the release of "Big Tim" | Fitzmorris charging unlawful arrests. delegates will be taken for an automo-The arrest of the six additional sus- bile ride about the city and environs.

Following a busy morning session. surf bathing, a real Pensacola fish Ten boys with their parents were dinner and a dance to music by Chut-

Cars Needed Today More cars are needed for the ride mails; would aid in solving a hereto- oxygen under pressure, using a com- the Craft Laboratory, nearby , were complete the \$75,000,000 fund by 1924 dictment of four more persons in con- thought was the result of labor wara- this afternoon, those who have already volunteered the use of their machines being: Dan Oppenheimer, I. H. Hirschman, Max Helpberg, David Kugelman Edgar Kugelman, Gus Willa, Marvin Garrett, Mrs. Lois K. Mayes, Mrs. H. L. Covington, W. C. Diffenderfer, D. Hayes, Lee MacDoneil, E. P. Elebash, Dr. C. L. Smith, Miss Nellie Burrow, L. G. Crosby, Geo, Hinrichs, Mrs. Bennie Edmundson, Oliver Semmes, Gus Eitzen, M. A. Touart, Jr., Henry Jeude vine, F. S. Mellen, W. A. Ray, John Engstrom, Standard Motor Car Co., E. Fox, J. H. Kohler, W. W. Watson, J. H. GENOA, May 19,-David Lloyd Sherrill, Frank Pou, Pensacola Fruit George, the British premier, in his and Produce Co., C. A. Born, Will L.

Moyer, Chas. Liberas, Max Bear. All who have already volunteered suppled and directions as to the itinerary given. Or those who wish to ence," he added. "We need all kinds volunteer their cars and have not yet of weather to make a good harvest; done so, may communicate with the

The automobile committee in charge "These crops," Mr. 'Lloyd George of all arrangements for the drive this listed as the coming meeting at The afternoon comprises George Emmanuel chairman, F. J. Rfere, G. B. Sellers, J. Vidal.

Yesterday's Session

The meeting was called together Russian question," said Mr. Lloyd yesterday morning promptly at 8:30 o'clock, by the Grand Councilor, Satisselves have demonstrated the value of factory reports were made by the cretheinternational conference. Here is dentials committee, committee on a question which has created political charter and dispensation, legislative crisis in different countries, which committee, constitution and by-laws, and committee on necrology. Reports were also received from the grand in an atmosphere of cal mad courteous secretary and grand executive com-

Necrology Committee Report The following report was made during the morning cession by S. B. the difficulties we have had in this Owen, B. T. Palmer, Jr., and C. M. Meconference before we resume those Whorter who constituted the Ne

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Council of Georgia and Florida, United Commercial Travelefs of America.

Greetings, Pellow Councilors However unemotional man may be his deepest sentiments are stirred ity, all that is really ours, is Faith Faith in ourselves, Faith in our fellowman, Faith in uor Country, Faith buried, blending the immeasurable past with the infinite future, and nev-"Europe is more and more filling up er merging into either, intangible yet cruel and swift the shuttle with which ions its wondrous fabrics.

No man can say where or what hefell his senses while he slept; he

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BURCH MURDER CASE GIVEN TO THE JURY

LOS ANGELES, May 19 .- The case

were lodged in the Bibb county jeil is this: if you go to a man who has Upon being questioned he said he had cast a vote it would have been for